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In re the Application of: ) Group Art Unit: 3737  
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Serial No.: 10/039,415 )  
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For: SYSTEMS AND METHODS FOR )  
USING ANNOTATED IMAGES )  
FOR CONTROLLING THE USE OF )  
DIAGNOSTIC OR THERAPEUTIC )  
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